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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/510,360 for "Block Copolymer
Compositions, Having Improved Mechanical Properties and Processability"
Applicant(s): Catherine A. Maris, et al.
PCT No.: PCT/EP03/00278
Int. Filing Date: 13 January 2003
Priority date: 31 January 2002
Attorney Docket No.: L0004B/US

Dear Sir:

Please find the following enclosed documents:

1. Response to Decision on Petition Under 37 CFR 1.37(b);
2. Declaration and Power of Attorney;
3. Copy of Decision on Petition Under 37 CFR 1.37(b); and
4. Return Receipt Postcard.

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Response to Decision on Petition Under 37 CFR 1.37(b)

In response to the Decision on Petition mailed 24 March 2005, Applicants submit the attached 1) Declaration and Power of Attorney executed by the inventors in the referenced application, and 2) copy of the Decision on Petition Under 37 CFR 1.37(b). In the original Oath and Declaration, the inventor Jacques Moerenhout's name was not set forth in the same manner as in the original application documents filed. The Oath and Declaration should have read "Jacques Moerenhout" rather than "Jaak L. Morenhout". Applicants apologize for the confusion. Applicants herewith submit the new document to further remove any confusion.

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